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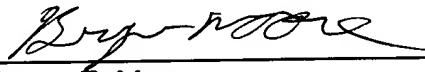
Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences the final rejection (mailed May 20, 2004) of claims 1-30 in the above-captioned application.

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